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| | DISTRICT OF ARIZONA | |
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| 16 | Mi Familia Vota, et al., | Case No. 2:22-cv-00509-SRB (lead) |
| 17 | Plaintiffs, | MFV PLS.' NOTICE REGARDING PROPOSED PARTY-SPECIFIC |
| 18 | v. | |
| | | ADMISSIONS |
| 19 | Adrian Fontes, et al., | |
| 20 | Defendants. | |
| 21 | | No. CV-22-00519-PHX-SRB |
| 22 | AND CONSOLIDATED CASES. | No. CV-22-01003-PHX-SRB No. CV-22-01124-PHX-SRB |
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Rule 16(c)(2)(C) provides that "[a]t any pretrial conference, the court may consider and take appropriate action" with respect to, among other things, "obtaining admissions and stipulations about facts and documents to avoid unnecessary proof[.]" Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(c)(2)(C). In their preservatory motion in limine, see ECF No. 570, Plaintiffs requested that the Court take notice of just such party "admissions" in order to streamline trial and reduce the time needed for live examination of witnesses. As noted in that motion, the parties were still discussing the matter and Plaintiffs advised that they would file the admissions at issue shortly.

Attached to this Notice are the admissions at issue. As explained in Plaintiffs' motion, the Defendants actively litigating this matter—the Attorney General, Secretary of State, Republican National Committee Intervenors ("RNC"), and Legislative Intervenors ("Legislators")—individually admitted to certain facts as part of the parties' exchange of proposed stipulations but took the position that only those facts agreed to by all four "active" Defendants should be included in the Joint Pretrial Order as stipulations. Plaintiffs honored that request, and only stipulations agreed to by Plaintiffs and those four Defendants were included in the Joint Pretrial Order. *See* Joint Pretrial Order, ECF No. 571, Exs. 1, 2. It remains the case, however, that each of these Defendants individually admitted to specific facts proposed by Plaintiffs that are relevant to this case. ¹

On top of that, nine County Recorder Defendants likewise provided admissions in response to proposed stipulations germane to their duties or counties. These undisputed party admissions relate to issues relevant to Plaintiffs' standing and claims and, if accepted by the Court, will help to "avoid unnecessary proof" at trial. No good cause exists for the Court to decline to take notice of undisputed admission of fact from a significant number

¹ In response to requests from the "active" Defendants, Plaintiffs provided additional citations to support proposed stipulations, or counter-proposed language in the hopes of reaching an agreement. Defendants have indicated that they are still in the process of reviewing these "live" proposed stipulations and Plaintiffs do not include them here.

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